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1. The Offices of CIA have reviewed the "Paper Mills and Fabrication" study and are agreed that the seriousness of the problem requires the Agency to take all possible action.
2. The Office of Special Operations is best equipped to become the focal point in the Government's source control program.
3. OSO is organizing a Source Control Section which will be responsible for the dissemination of information concerning paper-mill agents and fabricators.
4. OSO will be prepared to receive source information from other agencies and to safeguard this information as outlined in the study.
5. OSO furthermore will undertake to disseminate carefully labeled suspect reports to give analysts in all agencies a means of recognizing similar material. Other agencies should reciprocate.
6. On the other hand, OSO cannot devote a major portion of its manpower to this kind of flank protection for U. S. intelligence, without weakening its intelligence collection effort. It is in no position to undertake investigations of the sources of other agencies and must depend for an effective source control program on the co-operation of other agencies of the Government.
7. A limited number of copies of the "Paper Mills and Fabrication" study is available to member agencies of IAC through regular liaison channels with the Office of Special Operations.

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